Term 4 | Upcoming Events
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Sunsmart Term | School Hats to be worn
Thursday 4th Dec | Prep 2015 Information Night
Friday 5th Dec | Year Book 2014 Last Day for Payment
Monday 8th Dec | Last Morning For Breakfast Club
Thursday 11th Dec | Grade 6 Graduation Amstel Golf Club
Tuesday 16th Dec | Scrapbook Viewing
Thursday 18th Dec | Last School Day for Students. Finish 3.15pm

Sausage Sizzle Lunch Order
Friday 12th December
Orders must be returned by Tuesday 9th December

School Banking Every Tuesday
Every 10 weeks of banking you can order a prize

Enrolment Packs available for 2015

Sherpa Kids Before & After School Care at Rangebank Primary School
Enrolment Packs available at the office
Phone Rose: 0413 137 571

Principal’s Page

Community Carols
On a beautiful evening, many Rangebank families gathered on the netball court to hear some excited children singing Christmas Carols. Although the evening did not go for very long, it was a very enjoyable evening according to reports from thankful parents. Although nervous, the children had a wonderful time. We again thank all the children for their singing and practice, the parents for home coaching and Mrs. Tregenza and Mrs. Carey for arranging and running the evening and to all the staff for assisting so well on the night. A special thank you also to our School Council volunteers for the sausage sizzle. The sausage sizzle raised $350. I hope you enjoyed the Community Carols at Rangebank 2014.

Election Sausage Sizzle
I would like to thank Lorraine Humphrey for arranging the BBQ and working throughout the day together with our School Council President, Shelly Lynch. We also had Pam Hallmark and Andrea Bond assisting. Together with parents Emily Harrison, Trish Blake and Samantha Bankier. This sausage sizzle raised $320.

Funds Raised
After discussion with parents and teachers, the funds raised from the sausage sizzles and the donation of $500 from the BNI group (see below) will be put towards the purchase of a quality outdoor sound system. It was apparent during the Community Carols that further improvement in our sound system was needed. Thank you to all who have assisted us and we look forward to a clearer 2015!

BNI
On Wednesday morning at 7:00 am, a group called the Business Network International who normally meet at The Settlement,
Cranbourne, met at Rangebank. They discuss ways to assist and support each other in business. It was a very good meeting and extremely well conducted. We are happy to have them meet this time in our staffroom as they can spread the word that there is a school here and where it is! But they also presented me with a card and a cheque for $500! If you are interested in attending BNI, then please look on Page 2 for further information.

BNI Cranbourne

We encourage Visitors to come along to our weekly breakfast meetings! Attending is a great way to get acquainted with BNI and other local businesses in the area.

The core purpose of BNI meetings is for members to educate one another about their specific referral requests and to formally pass referrals collected throughout the previous week.

Those referrals come from business contacts members make. BNI referrals are very different from the normal referral or lead as members actively look for business opportunities for each other and you are referred to someone who has already expressed a need to buy that product or service!

BNI only allows 1 person from each business category which effectively locks out your competition from the chapter.

If you could gain from a significant increase in business referrals then this is a real opportunity for you and we invite you to attend one of our BNI Meetings as a guest and see how BNI works for yourself.

BNI is a meeting that is run by the members for the members, Meetings start at 7am with a session of open networking and are finished by 8.30am (ready for the working day to start!). We follow a standard 18 point agenda that allows every member and visitor guest* to promote themselves and their businesses.

Please bring approximately 40 business cards for circulation to the group.

If you are interested, you could contact the President of BNI Cranbourne, Diane Lucas from Direct Management on 1800 153 377.

Andy Reid from Stockdale and Leggo demonstrating an auction for the BNI group at Rangebank Primary.
TERM 4

Friday 5th December
Year Book, due by this date. Cost $25.00

Friday 5th December
Grade 5 Choir Excursion to Melville Grange Hostel,
Students will depart by 10.00am & return by 12 noon
Grade 6 Choir Excursion Regis Sherwood Park Aged Care Centre/
Tregenza’s Farm. Students will depart school at 12noon & depart the
Farm at 12.50pm to arrive at Regis at 1.00pm departing for
school at 2.00pm

Monday 8th December
Last Morning For Breakfast Club

Thursday 11th December
Grade 6 Graduation
Amstel Golf Club Cost $30.00 due by Friday 5th December

Friday 12th December
Last Day for Canteen

Tuesday 16th December
Scrapbook Viewing from 3.15pm – 4.00pm

Friday 19th December
Planning Day for Staff

Thursday 18th December
Last Day of School
Finish at 3.15pm

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Book Sales Day
Tuesday 27th January
8.00am – 12.00 midday
&
1.30pm – 4.00pm

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SCHOOL TERMS 2015

Term 1
29th January to 27th March

Term 2
13th April to 26th June

Term 3
13th July to 18th September

Term 4
5th October to 18th December

Parenting Support with Michael Grose

Dear Michael,

My daughter is 8 and won’t eat meat because it’s cruel to eat animals. We can ‘force’ meat down her throat but want her to be healthy & not turn every meal into an argument. How do we handle this?

Just Wondering Michael Grose

Dear Just Wondering,

It’s wonderful that your daughter has a social conscience. Your daughter’s empathy, in this case extended to animals, like her social activism, is something to be nurtured. I share your concerns around making sure she is healthy, which maybe compromised by her diet. So how to approach this issue? For a start, you are doing the right thing by not fighting her about it. She has a genuine concern, which she is expressing in a very personal way.

I’m not a dietary expert but I suspect that she can grow and develop normally without meat being part of her diet. I’d be tempted to accommodate your daughter’s needs and see where it takes you both. Arguments would cease and it would be interesting to see how far your daughter takes her concerns.

My past experience with parents involved in these types of ‘food fights’ with their progeny is that once the reason for fighting is removed then children will often moderate their approaches accordingly. Meals are too important to become mired in fights and arguments unless, of course, there are very good health and/or behavioural reasons for sticking to your parental guns.

Some thoughts for you to chew over - good luck!

Michael Grose

LOST PROPERTY
IS OVERFLOWING!!!!

Please make time to come in and look at Lost Property for any garments your child may be missing. Any garments remaining at end of term will be disposed off

Bunnings Christmas Family Night
Thursday 4th December 6-8pm
Bookings Essential
5591 3100
• Visit from Santa
• Jumping Castle
• Face Painting & Balloonist
• Pop corn & fairy floss
• Christmas Craft
• Photo Booth
• Little Munchkins Dance Crew
• Sausage Sizzle
Schools are often looking for organisations who are able to assist us. Stockdale and Leggo Real Estate have very generously offered to assist us in marketing our school in the Cranbourne area. In return, we are very happy to encourage our community to use Stockdale and Leggo Cranbourne as a worthy company to contact if you are wishing to buy, sell or lease your home. Please speak to our fabulous office people who will forward your name onto Stockdale and Leggo. This also applies to family, friends or acquaintances.

The school then profits from a recommendation fee and of course the communication to new families ‘that Rangebank Primary is a great school’ is passed on by Stockdale and Leggo.
**MEDICATION**
Please collect your child’s medication from the office by last week of term. This includes all asthma inhalers and spacers, epi pens, tablets & syrups

**ASTHMA ACTION PLAN**
Please collect a new Asthma Action Plan Medical Form from the office for 2015 and have your GP fill it in over the Christmas Holidays. Please return this form first week of school

**2015 MEDICATIONS**
Please ensure when you supply the school with medication for your child it is clearly labelled with their name and grade. It may also be considered a good idea to supply sick bay with Panadol / Nurofen / Antihistamine for your child if they suffer from allergies, headaches etc. This may save you having to leave your work or home to pick up your child when medication could be given to them if it has been supplied to the school

**CHANGE OF DETAILS**
If your details have changed over the Christmas period eg, phone numbers, addresses, emergency contacts, please collect a Change Of Details Form and update them as this is very critical for an emergency situation

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**THE GOOD GUYS**

**CRANBOURNE**

With every $25 spent you help the school achieve a $1 Cranbourne Cash Reward that will be put towards our monthly total. Just mention our school name at the time of purchase for our school to redeem this cash reward

For further information regarding to this program please contact Angela or Marcus at The Good Guys Cranbourne on 5991 6000

or email: promotions016@thegoodguys.com.au

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**Supper Soccer Kids**

S.S.K is a soccer clinic for boys & girls between the ages of 5-12 to come & learn the skills of the game in a fun & enjoyable environment.

Every session runs for 45 minutes with activities that will develop their skills in dribbling, passing, controlling the ball and working in a team. Every session will also end with a game. S.S.K is run during every school term and all sessions are indoors, so no matter what the weather is like it will always be on.

For clinic locations, session times and fees, please call Greg on 0413 919 727 or email at supersoccerclinic@gmail.com

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**CRYSTAL TEMPTATIONS**

Healing Crystals, Salt Lamps, Chakra Products, 100% Natural Soy Candles

Christmas is only around the corner. Are you looking for a small gift for a teacher, sporting coach, staff etc, or even looking at making a hamper?

Let Crystal Temptations help you at affordable prices or to the amount you would like to spend.

Find us on Facebook / Gift Vouchers also available

Merry Christmas
Located at Cranbourne North
Ph Kylie 0478 271 852

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**Rangebank Primary School**

**Term 1**

**COOL CRICKET**
Cost $111 per student

**BASKETBALL**
Cost $111 per student

**DANCE OZ**
Cost $111 per student

**Early Bird Discount**
$99.00

Enrol online at www.big5sports.com.au or www.danceoz4kids.com

Phone 0422 043 853

info@danceozkids.com

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Do you scrapbook?
Come and join the fun in Cranbourne at Sit’n’Scrap Mondays & Wednesdays $10 9:30-2 includes tea, coffee & nibbles. Bring your own supplies...

Dates are Oct 15, 20 & 29
Nov 5, 12, 17 & 26
December 1, 10 & 15
To book your seat call Carolyn 0418304485.
TERM 4 Lunch Order Form

THIS IS A PRE-ORDER AND MUST BE RETURNED BY TUESDAY 9TH DECEMBER NO LATER THAN 9:30AM.

Date: Friday 12th December

Name: ……………………………….. Grade: ………………

Please tick

Lunch Choices
…….. Sausage In Bread with sauce…….. no sauce …….. $2.00

Snack Choices
…….. Vanilla Custard $1.00
…….. Banana Pikelet $1.00
…….. Jam Tart $0.60

Drink Choices
Milk $1.50 Chocolate ......... Strawberry........ Honeycomb..........

Juices $1.00 Apple.......... Tropical........ Orange Juice........

Please add 20cents if you do not have your own brown bag to send

Total........................

Please place order and money in a paper bag. Limited stock is available over the counter.

Please be aware that some items may contain traces of dairy products, eggs and or nuts. If your child has allergies or intolerances please contact the canteen via the office for information on all items available.

SHERPA KIDS 2015 ENROLMENTS
AT Rangebank Primary School
SENIOR BUILDING RM 16

BEFORE & AFTER SCHOOL CARE
BOOKINGS ARE NOW OPEN FOR 2015
AND WILL CLOSE ON 15TH DECEMBER 2014
FORMS AVAILABLE AT MAIN OFFICE, AT THE SHERPA ROOM OR REQUEST FROM
VIC@SHERPA-KIDS.COM.AU
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*Fun filled interactive programs led by qualified, caring and supportive staff
*Healthy snacks, fresh fruit and breakfast daily.
*Popcorn munchies and ice cream on Fridays with a movie.
*Homework assistance, reading, maths and sports.
*Early open and late close times for your convenience.

ALL COMPLETED FORMS MUST BE RETURNED BY MONDAY 15TH DECEMBER, 2014
For Further Information, please call us on 9909 7204 or 0413 137 571 or email your enquiry to vic@sherpa-kids.com.au